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In re Application of:

R. Eric Montgomery

Serial No.: 09/398,156

Filed: September 16, 1999

Title: IMPROVED PROTEINACEOUS ANIMAL CHEW  
WITH DENTALLY THERAPEUTIC CATION

Examiner: Neil S. Levy

Art Unit: 1616

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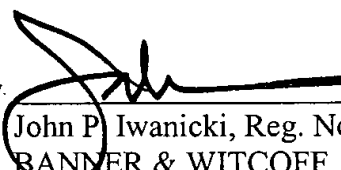
1. Response to Final Office Action, with Tabs A-E;
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3. PTO Form-1449;
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With respect to additional fees the Commissioner is authorized to charge the required Information Disclosure Statement submission fee of \$180.00, and any additional fees or credit overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: October 7, 2003

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